

# RECYCLING FACTS



## RECYCLING

Includes glass, aluminum, metal, plastic and paper. Rinse and remove lids before placing in bins.  
See examples listed below:



## GLASS

### YES

Soda Bottles  
Liquor & Wine Bottles  
Jelly & Mayo Jars  
Salsa Jars  
Beer Bottles  
Green, clear, or brown jars or bottles  
Soda Cans

### NO

Medicine Bottles  
Windows or Mirrors  
Dishes  
Drinking Glasses  
Cookware (Pyrex, Corning)



## ALUMINUM

Aluminum Foil  
Beer Cans  
Foil Pie Pans

Pots/Pans  
Cooking Utensils  
Door Screens  
Lawn Furniture



## METAL

Soup & Vegetables Cans  
Fruit Cans  
Juice Cans  
Pet Food Cans  
Empty Aerosol Containers

Tools  
Car Parts  
License Plates



## PLASTIC

Milk/Water Jugs  
Soda/Water Bottles  
Detergent Bottles  
Shampoo Bottles  
Butter/Whipped Topping Tubs

Knives, Forks, Spoons  
Motor Oil/Antifreeze  
Flower Pots  
Egg Cartons  
Plastic Grocery Bags  
Newspaper Sleeves  
Polystyrene Trays  
Household Chemical Bottles  
Styrofoam  
Pool Chemical Bottles



## PAPER

Newspaper  
Magazines/Catalogs  
Telephone Books  
Colored or White Paper Bags  
Office/Computer Paper  
Junk Mail  
All Cardboard and Brown Paper  
Grocery Bags



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Car batteries, and oil can be taken to the Sanibel Shell Station, 2435 Periwinkle Way (472-2012) for recycling

Batteries such as AAA, AA, C, D, 9 Volt and most button cells manufactured since 1993, have no mercury and are considered non-hazardous. These batteries may be disposed of in the household garbage

There is a Recycling Center on Dunlop Road across from the Library.

**Sanibel Recycles!!  
Reduce-Reuse-Recycle**